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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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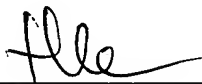
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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July 29, 2004


Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed in response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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- One copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application
- An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Return Postcard plus postage
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number **50-1513**. This Response is believed to be timely. However, if any extension of time is necessary, please consider this a request therefor.

Respectfully submitted,




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